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ABSTRACT:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To obtain the subject composition more excellent in solubility than a conventional calcium agent, capable of being expected to improve absorption, comprising a calcium source, a hydroxycitric acid source and a malic acid source, at least readily dissolving calcium.

SOLUTION: This composition comprises a calcium source, a hydroxycitric acid (HCA source) and a malic acid and readily dissolves calcium. Preferably the calcium source is calcium carbonate and/or calcium chloride, the HCA source is a naturally occurring one, a gene recombinant-derived one and/or chemically synthesized one and the malic acid source is malic acid, calcium malate and/or sodium malate. The HCA source is preferably derived from a plant of the species Garcinia. The molar ratio of the calcium source: the HCA source: the malic acid source is preferably 1:(0.2-0.7):(3-1.0) calculated as calcium, HCA and malic acid.

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